

Honorable Benjamin H. Settle

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT TACOMA**

David J Dejeu,
Plaintiff,
v.

Case No. 3:20-cv-05176BHS

PLAINTIFF'S AMENDED COMPLAINT

LEWIS COUNTY, LEWIS COUNTY
DISTRICT COURT JOHN DOE
EMPLOYEES, LEWIS COUNTY OFFICE
OF RISK MANAGEMENT JOHN DOE
EMPLOYEES

Defendant,

David J. Dejeu (Dejeu) Pro Se, an American Citizen Man, a Natural Person is filing a complaint against Lewis County Office of Risk Management, Lewis County District Court (LCDC) and all of their involved John, and/or Jane doe (John Doe) employees for conspiracy against his reserved rights, being the violations of Dejeu's due process rights under the 5th, and possibly 14th Amendments, and to a fair hearing under the 6th Amendment. Dejeu has grounds to sue Lewis County and it's John Doe employees as a result of the Rights violations against him listed in this complaint under 42 US Code § 1983, and § 1985, giving the Federal Courts jurisdiction under 28 US Code § 1343.

Questions:

1. Was Dejeu denied his right to Due process and to a fair Hearing?
2. Were the John Doe Lewis County employees conspiring against Dejeu's rights?
3. Were the John Doe Lewis County employees attempting to steal Dejeu's money through fraud, extortion and/or threats, Abuse of Process / Malicious prosecution?

Dejeu was pulled over on 12/17/2018 and received two traffic tickets, Infraction Nos. 8Z1158423 & 8Z1158424 (Exs. A & B). According to the tickets and Lewis County District Court Dejeu had 15 days in which to respond. Dejeu responded within 9 days with the original Tickets and a Motion to Dismiss document (Ex. D) via Certified Mail to the District Court, and via Certified Mail with a Return Receipt to the Prosecutor (Ex. C), all of which they received on the 11th day. Dejeu's Motion to Dismiss consisted of various jurisdictional and conflict of interest challenges, and other reasons to dismiss, but they all went ignored. Being that Dejeu challenged jurisdiction he did not enter, or even intend to enter a plea until and only if the state court could first prove it even had jurisdiction over him and the matter; especially being that he did not commit a crime, or damage, or deprive, or endanger anyone, and was not contractually liable for anything. Dejeu simply chose to remain silent while waiting for proof of jurisdiction,

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4 of which is his right to do if he chooses, but then without proof of jurisdiction and never being
5 allowed to defend himself, he was unreasonably, unfairly, and illegally judged to be guilty for it.
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8 About 34 days later Dejeu received two letters containing various threats, in two separate
9 envelopes on the same day from Lewis County District Court, both titled FINAL NOTICE, dated
10 01/29/2019 (Exs. E & F), and each informing Dejeu that he failed to respond to a notice of
11 infraction within 15 days. Dejeu thought that was strange because he was well within time, he
12 even mailed 2 separate court departments, and he received the Return Receipt which the court
13 signed for. Dejeu tracked his certified mail and found that both of his mailings were signed for
14 and received by the court on 12/28/2018 at 8:35 and 10:36 am. Dejeu then mailed the District
15 Court a letter titled Reply to Final Notice, dated 02/03/2019 (Ex. G), in which he showed them
16 that he did respond within the allotted time, and Dejeu also attached copies of all of the same
17 originally mailed documents once more. They did not respond, so after about 23 days, on
18 03/01/2019 Dejeu again contacted the court at the email address provided by the Washington
19 State Courts website. This time it was via email to the Court Clerk at
20 scott.tinney@lewiscountywa.gov and the email went through (Ex. H).
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4 They again did not respond, but instead Dejeu received collection letters from DYNAMIC
5 COLLECTORS, INC also located in Chehalis, Washington, of which he also repeatedly
6 challenged (Exs. I through Q); then those letters stopped being mailed to Dejeu as well. They
7 claim that Dejeu owes them and the Lewis County District Court over \$1,807 with the threat of
8 interest. Lastly, to even further strengthen Dejeu's claim of a conspiracy against his rights, he
9 then filed a Tort claim against Lewis County and it's John Doe employees with the Lewis County
10 Office of Risk Management, but they also have never responded and have ignored all of Dejeu's
11 letters (Exs. R through V).
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15 These are violations of 42 US Code § 1983 because the conduct of the Lewis County employees
16 happened while they were acting under color of law, and they deprived Dejeu of his 5th, 6th, and
17 14th Amendment rights. Lewis County has either a bad policy, custom, or practice among their
18 judges, because upon looking at their web site, it appears that LCDC has two District Court
19 Judges without a Chief Judge to supervise and ensure accountability; the proof being that so far
20 they got away with what they did to Dejeu. LCDC does have a lead Prosecutor, which shows
21 either bad policy, custom, or practice among their prosecutors, because LCDC has been
22 experiencing a shortage of them over the years, and the ones that are there with direct knowledge
23 of Dejeu's case unreasonably, unfairly, and illegally ignored documents without consequence.
24 The chain of events and all of this indifference, even among the clerk(s) and Risk
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4 Management employee(s) whom all swore their Oaths of Office and are accountable to the
5 people they serve, points to Lewis County's bad policy, custom, and/or practice by allowing
6 these things to ever happen and to continue.
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9 Looking at the chain of events, under 42 US Code § 1985 (2) & (3) there were two, or more
10 Lewis County John Doe employees conspiring against Dejeu for the purpose of impeding,
11 hindering, obstructing, or defeating, in any manner, due course of justice with the intent to deny
12 him (any citizen) equal protection of the laws by not allowing him to defend himself, while
13 attempting to steal money from him, and under (3) they also did it indirectly through the use of
14 law enforcement on the roads, and attempting to and remaining hidden as John Doe employees,
15 and under both (2) & (3) there was a minority and class based animus because Dejeu is part of a
16 minority or class of self represented people who try to legally defend themselves, and he got
17 attacked for it. Lastly (3) also makes it clear, showing that they cannot directly or indirectly
18 deprive any person or class of persons...any right or privilege of a citizen...the party so injured or
19 deprived may have an action for the recovery of damages occasioned by such injury or
20 deprivation, against any one or more of the conspirators. Dejeu was deprived by Lewis County
21 employees of his aforementioned rights, making this Code & sections also applicable.
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25 Please see all documents to and from the court (exhibits are marked as Ex. A through V and are
26 in chronological order).
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4 **Conclusion:**

5 The John Doe Lewis County employees attempted to extort and defraud Dejeu of his hard earned
6 money without any trial or hearing, all while knowing that he was fighting on his own, is not an
7 attorney, and was and still is attempting to legally defend himself. The judges, acting against
8 their Oaths of Office and the Codes of Judicial Conduct did not display neutrality, but instead
9 proceeded while ignoring jurisdictional and conflict of interest challenges and went straight after
10 Dejeu's money. Instead and if able they legally could and should have proven, or had prosecutors
11 prove jurisdiction / criminal, or civil liability, resolved conflicts of interest issues, entered a plea
12 of Not Guilty on Dejeu's behalf, entertained his Motion to Dismiss, and gave him his rightful day
13 in court, or dismissed the case. The prosecutor(s) should have performed their duties by
14 responding to Dejeu's Motion to Dismiss and by disproving Dejeu's claims, or dropping the
15 charges, but instead acted contrary to their Oaths of Office and the Codes of Professional
16 conduct. The clerk(s) were conveniently able to mail extortion letters to Dejeu, but not respond
17 to his questions sent via multiple letters and / or forward them to the proper court departments;
18 especially because every John Doe was in hiding, while the Office of Risk Management John
19 Doe employees altogether ignored Dejeu as well. Depriving Dejeu of his rights are not judicial,
20 nor prosecutorial functions.
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26 All of these unreasonable, unfair, and illegal actions against Dejeu by the several public servants
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4 show that they used bad policy, custom, and/or practice by collaborating together through
5 corruption, deceit, and lawlessness to steal money from Dejeu. The only thing that they did not
6 do to help prove Dejeu's claims was to openly admit it, but nevertheless the chain of events and
7 their actions expose their illegal revenue generating agendas. Simply put, LCDC's behavior says
8 forget about the arguments, just pay us because we said so.
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12 Dejeu, based on other cases is reasonably asking for nominal damages of \$1.00 and punitive
13 damages of \$50,000 per employee involved in the violations against Dejeu, \$10,000 for every
14 court appearance, or brief filed, and that Lewis County be held liable, being that several
15 employees from it's different departments are involved, which shows deep corruption,
16 indifference, bad policy, custom, and/or practice within the County itself. If this Court decides
17 that Lewis County should not be held liable then Dejeu will need to find out the names of the
18 involved Lewis County John Doe employees, either through Discovery, or Court Order.
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21 Dated 08/23/2020

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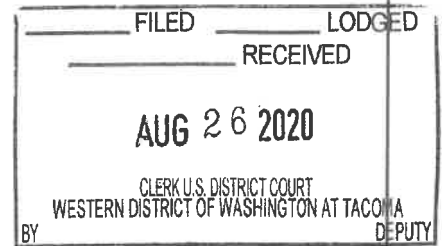
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on 08/24/2020 I caused to be filed the foregoing PLAINTIFF'S AMENDED COMPLAINT with the clerk of the court through the US Postal Service I have in the same way sent copies of such filings to the following:

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